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BEFORE THE
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20554

In the Matter of)

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Amendment of Section 73.202(b),)
Table of Allotments,)
FM Broadcast Stations,)
(Llano, TX))

MM Docket No. 99-131
RM-9333

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COMMENTS OF ELGIN FM LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

Elgin FM Limited Partnership ("Elgin FM") by undersigned counsel hereby submits its comments in support of the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, DA 99-800 released by the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC" or "Commission") on April 30, 1999 ("NPRM"). On October 8, 1997, Elgin FM petitioned the Commission to issue its NPRM proposing to allot two additional channels, 293A and 275A to Llano, Texas in order to remove the mutual exclusivity between Elgin FM, BK Radio and Maxagrid Broadcasting Corporation ("Maxagrid"), all three applicants for a new FM station to operate on Channel 242A at Llano. The Elgin FM petition is incorporated herein by reference.

As shown by Elgin FM in its petition and as noted in the NPRM, the addition of Channels 293A and 275A at Llano will permit the elimination of mutual exclusivity by and among Elgin FM, BK Radio and Maxagrid, thereby leading to the earlier initiation of new broadcast services to Llano. Moreover, an additional equivalent channel, Channel 271A, is also available to accomodate other expressions of interest, which under the Commission's rules, would permit Elgin FM and BK Radio to amend their pending Llano

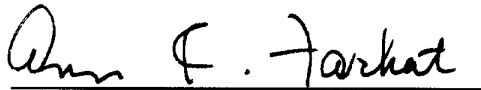
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applications without the loss of cut-off protection. *See Roseburg, Oregon*, 6 FCC Rcd 4369 (1991); *see also Albion, Nebraska*, 10 FCC Rcd 3183, *review denied*, 10 FCC Rcd 11931 (1995).

As directed by the Commission in the NPRM, Elgin FM commits that if the Commission allots Channel 293A at Llano, Texas, it will amend its pending Llano application to specify operation on Channel 293A, and upon the grant of its application as amended, it will construct its proposed Llano station promptly.

Accordingly, for the foregoing reasons, Elgin FM supports the proposals set forth in the Commission's NPRM allotting Channels 293A and 275A at Llano, Texas and the authorization by the Commission affording Elgin FM and BK Radio to amend their applications accordingly, while affording both applicants cut-off protection.

Respectfully submitted,

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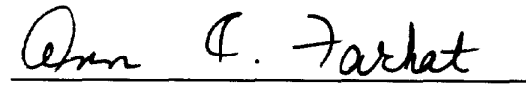
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